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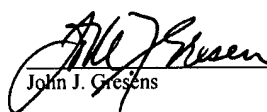
PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Fostad et al. Examiner: B. Sisson
Serial No.: 09/125,953 Group Art Unit: 1655
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Title: IMMUNO-MAGNETIC CELL SEPARATION USED IN
IDENTIFICATION OF GENES ASSOCIATED WITH SITE-
PREFERENCED CANCER METHASTASIS FORMATION

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed April 21, 2000, said period of response being extended from June 21, 2000 to July 21, 2000.

Our check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.


Respectfully Submitted,

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